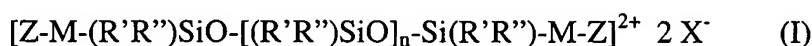


Abstract of the Disclosure

This invention provides for, *inter alia*, a cleaning and polishing oil-in-water emulsion which comprises:

- A. about 0.1 to about 25 % of at least one silicone oil with a viscosity ranging between about 20 and about 100,000 mPas.;
- B. about 0.5 to about 25 % of at least one bisquaternary organommodified silicone of the formula:



whereby

- Z is a quaternary nitrogen radical,
- R' and R'' are independently from each other an alkyl or an aryl radical,
- M is a divalent hydrocarbon radical having at least 4 carbon atoms which optionally contain at least one hydroxyl group and which may be interrupted by one or more oxygen atoms and/or groups of the type -C(O)-, -C(O)O- or -C(O)N-,
- n is a number between 1 and 200,
- X⁻ is a inorganic or organic anion,

- C. about 0.1 to about 15.0 % of at least one nonionic or amphoteric surfactant which has an alkyl chain length between 6 and 14 carbon atoms;

- D. about 1 to about 40 % of at least one oil selected from the group of mineral oils, paraffin oils, petroleum distillates, hydrocarbon solvents, ester oils, triglycerides and cyclic silicone oils;
- E. about 0.1 to about 15 % of at least one emulsifier;
- F. about 20 to about 99 % water; and

optionally one or more auxiliaries selected from the group consisting of consistency enhancers, thickeners, stabilizers, fragrances, preservatives, antioxidants, dyes, abrasives, glycol ethers, alcohols, and builders. The inventive oil-in-water emulsion, when used in a non-pressurized foam dispenser, dispenses as a foam that is stable and dense. The inventive oil-in water emulsions may be used in cleaning and polishing surfaces.